

REMARKS

This Response is submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2006. Claims 1 and 3 to 31 are currently pending in this application. A Terminal Disclaimer is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account 02-1818 for any fees which are due and owing.

In the Office Action, Claims 1 to 31 were provisionally rejected for non-statutory obviousness-type double patenting. In order to place this application in condition for allowance, Applicants respectfully submit herewith a Terminal Disclaimer in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.321(c) to overcome the rejection.

An earnest endeavor has been made to place this application in condition for formal allowance, and such action is courteously solicited. If the Examiner has any questions regarding this Response, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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